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### Hot Springs Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
HOT SPRINGS, VA., May 8.—As was expected, the beginning of May finds the season as lively and gay as many persons here as there usually are at the height of the season. This year the season began very early and the gaiety has kept up even beyond the usual period. It will be the end of May before one sees any great diminution in the number of visitors here, and then there will be only a short interval of a few weeks quiet, after which the summer visitors will come.

These will largely be regular, almost entirely Southerners, who for many years have been coming, not only to the hotel here, but also to Warm Springs and Healing Springs, popular summer resorts, which have hotels that date back to Colonial days.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., who spent six weeks here, has returned to New York after a visit that was enjoyed in a most informal way. Mrs. Vanderbilt entered into all the outdoor diversions, including mountain walks, riding and driving, swimming, tennis and golf. Mrs. Vanderbilt will most probably return again in the autumn for another recreation season, she having become a great admirer of the Springs.

It is only on the very mountain tops that the trees are still green and bare. In the valley the trees are rapidly assuming their summer dress of foliage, and the beauty of the scenery is daily increasing. The weather is settled and in every way here is ideal and delightful.

Settling here, Mr. French is the owner of the villa "Barton" on the edge of the park, and largest of the Virginia hills. The villa is built on a well-graded "bench" on the side of the mountain, and from the porch a most commanding view is had of Warm Springs Valley. Mr. French is staying at the hotel for a few days before going to the villa. Mrs. French will probably arrive here during the next few days.

Mrs. Oden Goelet, of New York, has devoted most of her time to long mountain walks and also to drives over all the mountain roads and incidentally went in for the "kur," the vigorous course of tonic baths.

Miss Ruth Harrison, of Cincinnati, who opened the bungalow cottage two weeks ago, will entertain a number of house parties this season. Her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Field, Miss Mary Grosbeck and V. M. B. Scarborough, left Monday, and Miss Harrison is now entertaining Judge and Mrs. H. B. Smith, Mrs. T. S. Shaffer, H. K. Wood and John D. Keyes. Wednesday, Miss Harrison gave a tally-ho party in their honor, and dinner at the Oaks, the drive back being by moonlight.

It is expected that Mr. Rockefeller, who was quite ill a month ago, will be able to go out for a drive during the week. Her recovery from her very critical illness is considered wonderful. Mr. Rockefeller has indulged in spirited games of golf every forenoon ever since Mrs. Rockefeller was pronounced out of danger. He has also taken occasional mountain walks, walking four or five miles each of these trips. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., are here. They arrived Tuesday and will probably remain a fortnight for rest and recreation and outdoor sports.

Sir Henry Pellatt, of Toronto, and Lady Pellatt are completing a visit here of two weeks. Sir Henry Pellatt is an ardent golfer, and has also given much attention to long horseback rides every day.

Mrs. G. H. Perley, of Toronto, who spent six weeks at the Homestead, and who plays an excellent game of golf, returned to Canada this week, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ethel Perley. A number of pretty parties were given for Miss Perley, and she gave a large tea at the Oaks in compliment to Miss Perley before leaving.

F. W. Handwick is expected back from Orange the early part of next week. R. R. Rand, who spent a month here, left Tuesday, driving to Washington, D. C., by way of Goshen Pass, Staunton and Winchester.

Mr. Geo. Gunton has as his guest at Gunton Lodge, Mrs. L. W. Tinker, of St. Louis. Mrs. Gunton will entertain at a large house party, among the early expected guests being Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Parrish.

Rev. John G. Scott, well known throughout the State and rector of the Episcopal Church here, is the guest of honor at a dinner given Wednesday night by William Threlander Stewart, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Scheffel, of New York, entertained a large party at tea on the lawn Wednesday afternoon, during the concert hour. Among their guests were Mrs. Robert Doremus, Miss Louise A. Trow-

bridge and Messrs. Shaw and Robert Kelsoe Cassatt.

At the first putting match of the season held this week, Mrs. Robert A. Black, was the hostess, and the handsome silver prize was captured by Mrs. D. Randolph Calhoun, of St. Louis. It was a two-ball putting match, each contestant playing two balls from each of the four corners of the green. Mrs. Calhoun's score was 22; Miss Grace Ellis was scored with 23; Miss Ethel Perley made it in twenty-four strokes; Mrs. G. H. Perley and Mrs. John Geraghty, 25, and Miss Florence Wade, 25.

Virginia defeated West Virginia in a double-header played before a large crowd. The Hot Springs team defeated the nine from Leesburg, W. Va., in 4-2 and 5-0. Many prominent visitors attended the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gavin, of New York, who have visited various points in Virginia, arrived here by carriage from an over-the-mountain trip. They expect to spend ten days here.

### Spotsylvania Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SPOTSYLVANIA, VA., May 8.—E. B. Doyelle, of Madison county, is the guest of friends in Spotsylvania.

The Misses Foster, of Frederickburg, have returned home after a visit to the Oaks. James A. Harris, of Spotsylvania, and Mrs. James L. Fraser, of Orange, have returned home after a visit of a week to relatives in the county.

Miss Mary Wallingford, of Washington, and family, of the county, have returned home. Amos E. Dool, of New York, is sojourning for a month with friends in Spotsylvania county.

Lewis L. Savage and bride, of Missisquoi, are visiting for ten days in Spotsylvania and Culpeper counties.

M. W. Knighthead, of St. Just, Orange county, is at home after a visit of some days in Spotsylvania.

Rev. George H. Ray, D. D., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fanny West, of Norfolk.

Eugene Foster, after visiting in Spotsylvania, has returned to his home in Frederickburg.

Mrs. Victoria L. Evans, of New York, and her son, William Evans, is visiting friends in Spotsylvania county.

### Buchanan Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BUCHANAN, VA., May 8.—Mrs. William R. Beale, Mrs. Elizabeth Guernard and Miss Susan Radford Preston attended the May day celebration at Hollins Institute, returning here Tuesday night.

E. M. Nettleton, of Covington, was the guest of friends here this week.

Mrs. Irving Lee Beveridge and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Richmond, passed through Buchanan Tuesday, en route to Covington, to visit Mrs. Beveridge's daughter, Mrs. E. C. Lynch.

Miss Minnie Deland, of Parkersburg, W. Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Crawford, on Main Street.

Steward A. Howard, of Lynchburg, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. George F. Cook, several days this week.

Miss Jessie Sexton is visiting friends in Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Killian are the guests of relatives in Roanoke this week.

Mrs. Mary Brand, of the county, left Tuesday evening for a visit to Kansas City and other points West.

Mrs. E. C. Lynch, of Covington, was the guest of friends in Buchanan on Tuesday. Mr. Lynch was en route to Christiansburg, where he attended a conference.

Rev. George F. Cook spent Monday and Tuesday in Lynchburg, the guest of relatives.

### Buena Vista Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BUENA VISTA, VA., May 8.—Miss Ella Higginbotham is visiting her uncle, Joseph Cunningham.

Mrs. Clarence Porter Jones, of Newport News, is visiting her father, D. H. Rucker. Mr. McNulty, of Roanoke, was the guest of H. S. Rucker several days this week.

They spent Monday and Tuesday in Lexington on professional business.

R. S. Anderson, of Lexington, was the guest Sunday of W. H. Luckey.

Sidney Wilson and H. W. Wilt, of Lexington, visited friends here Sunday.

D. H. Rucker, Mrs. Clarence Jones and Mrs. Ashton Jones were week-end guests of Mrs. U. A. Rees, at her country home, "Fairview."

Master Preston Newland has recovered from the operation for appendicitis performed in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker will move into their new residence Monday.

### Providence Forge Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

PROVIDENCE FORGE, VA., May 8.—Colonel and Mrs. E. B. Townsend, of Washington, are spending a few weeks at their home here.

Miss Edith Minor, who has been teaching in the public school near here, will leave Monday for her home in King and Queen county.

Miss Fadora Haxall, who is attending school in Richmond, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Littleburg Haxall.

Mrs. F. Coleman and Misses Gladys and Miriam Coleman have returned to Richmond, after a visit of a few days at Sirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Heneyberg, of Peoria, Ill., have been spending some weeks at Sirling Heights.

Ernest A. Furdum, of the University of Virginia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Purdon.

### Clover Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CLOVER, VA., May 8.—Miss Janie Blount spent a few days this week at Drakes Branch.

Misses Nannie and Maria Bradshaw, who have been visiting in Manchester, have returned home.

Mrs. Jennie Bouldin, who has been on a short trip to Richmond, has returned home.

Miss Frances Bowman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gregory, in Chesapeake City, has returned home.

Mrs. G. W. Ribble and children left Tuesday for Mansfield, O., where they will visit Mrs. Ribble's parents.

Miss Ella and Mary Smith have returned from Danville, where they have been for some time.

Miss Julia Morton, who has been visiting Mrs. R. H. Fuller, has returned home.

### Fair Captain of Baseball Team



MISS CARRIE BROWN.

RADFORD, VA., May 8.—Miss Carrie Brown, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown, of Salem, is one of the prettiest girls of Southwest Virginia.

Although petite and dainty, Miss Brown is captain of a baseball nine, the Invincibles, composed of girls of the Radford High School, in which she is a teacher.

Another teacher in the school, Miss Shuler, is captain of the Amazons, another girls' team, with which the Invincibles often contend for honors.

Miss Brown, it is not yet an expert on the diamond, is much at home in the classroom, being an excellent teacher, and also in the ballroom, she being a beautiful dancer and a popular society girl.

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### Waverly Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WAVERLY, VA., May 8.—An important event in the social life of Waverly was the concert and literary entertainment given at the hall on Tuesday night, under the management of Mrs. John F. May, in which Miss Daisy P. Wilson and Miss Mabel Nunnally, of Petersburg, and a number of leading musicians and singers, of Waverly were heard to splendid advantage.

In a well-chosen program. The stage was bright and attractive with growing plants and flowers, and the hall was filled with an appreciative audience. The program was opened by Miss Nunnally, whose beautiful soprano voice was heard for the first time in Waverly, in several exquisite songs, by DeKoven and other well-known composers.

Miss Ella West accompanied her on the piano. The appearance of Miss Daisy Wilson, a talented elocutionist, brought forth a storm of applause. Miss Linda Barnes, contralto voice, in a selection from the Italian opera, "La Favorita," was never heard to better advantage.

Miss Grace West rendered Lieta's "Sixth Symphony." It was followed by "The Bridge," arranged for quartet and sung by Mrs. E. N. Baird, Miss Mary Warren added to the interest of the program by her rendition of Lieta's "Polonia," while Master John West played a "Valse Caprice" by Weyts.

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